

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF ALABAMA  
NORTHERN DIVISION

JOE LEWIS DEES, JR.,	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	CIVIL ACTION NO. 2:19-CV-221-WHA
	)	
TOM BOATWRIGHT, <i>et al.</i> ,	)	
	)	
Defendant.	)	

**ORDER**

This lawsuit is before the court on the Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge that the case be transferred to the United States District Court for the Southern District of Alabama under 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a). Doc. 3. There are no objections to the Recommendation. After an independent and *de novo* review of the record, the court concludes the Magistrate Judge's Recommendation should be adopted.

Accordingly, it is ORDERED that:

- (1) The Magistrate Judge's Recommendation (Doc. 3) is adopted.
- (2) This case is transferred to the United States District Court for the Southern District of Alabama under 28 U.S.C. § 1406(a).

The Clerk of the Court is DIRECTED to take the necessary steps to effectuate the transfer of this action.

This case is closed in this court.

Done, this 26<sup>th</sup> day of April 2019.

/s/ W. Harold Albritton  
W. HAROLD ALBRITTON  
SENIOR UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE